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Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 13, 2005, and the Office Action dated August 17, 2004, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.